

FEATHER RIVER RAIL SOCIETY

General Superintendent's Report Kerry Cochran

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The Santa Train weekends are over and hopefully we had a very good turnout from the community. We had several members step up and help us with this event. Mr. and Mrs. S. Claus made their annual trek to Portola to help us out again this year.

I am sure that our president, Steve Habeck, and all his helpers are glad that the season is over, but I am also sure that he appreciates our help at all times at the museum. I am sorry that Steve could not be present for the last Santa Trains due to health reasons, it's good to hear he is back resting at home.

Please keep in mind that we need volunteers throughout the year to keep the museum in shape in order to meet our visitors' expectations. Several of our members work through the winter to keep the museum safe and in good shape for the following season.

2019 WPRM Convention: Please look on the website for the latest information. The convention registration is now open. This year we will be again holding a joint convention with the Pacific Coast Region of the NMRA. We did this about two years ago in Modesto and I expect this will be a great convention with them again in 2019. The convention will be held May 2 thru the 5, 2019 at the McCellan Conference Center in McCellan Park, Ca. (just south of Sacramento).

There are going to be several *California Zephyr* presentations (that is my understanding right now) at this convention along with many presentations given by the Pacific Coast Region of the NMRA. The convention staff can always use help to make the convention a success. Please contact Eugene Vicknair and let him know that you can give us a hand.

Registration for the convention is now open; please visit the website to register for the convention at: http://pcrnmra.org/conv2019/registration.

"As always, there are so many volunteers that help around the museum all the time and I would be remised if I did not say thank you to all of you. I may have missed some specifically by name; however all of your help is greatly appreciated".

At any time should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me, I may not have an answer right away, however I will get one for you.

Kerry Cochran Director/General Superintendent